


# Achievement test 1 (Units 1-4)

## 1 LISTENING

 Listen to Greta talking to Jayden about school work. For each question, choose the right answer (a, b or c).

- 1 What school work is the most important to Greta at the moment?  
a art                                      b music                                      c maths
- 2 What was Greta's brother doing while she was doing her homework?  
a packing a suitcase                      b looking at maps                      c playing on the computer
- 3 What did Greta want to find out about?  
a the rainforest                              b climate change                              c deserts
- 4 When is Greta taking part in the public speaking debate?  
a Wednesday afternoon                      b Thursday morning                      c Thursday afternoon
- 5 What would Greta like to be one day?  
a a farmer                                      b a scientist                                      c a photographer
- 6 Jayden thinks Greta is .....  
a popular and kind                              b popular and polite                              c kind and polite

## 2 READING

Read Jenny's blog. Are sentences 1–9 'Right' (a) or 'Wrong' (b)? If there is not enough information to answer 'Right' (a) or 'Wrong' (b), choose 'Doesn't say' (c).

My great grandmother, Beatrice, was always looking for the next adventure in her life! She trained as an engineer, which was really unusual at the time, and later as a pilot. She became one of the first female pilots to fly across the Atlantic in the 1930s. She took a navigator with her. A journalist also wanted to join them on the flight but there was simply no room for him in the plane. On her hundredth birthday we had a big family celebration and she showed me some of her early photos. She told me about her famous flight and said the only thing that really worried her wasn't the bad weather, but the fact that they only just had enough fuel. Later in her life, she wanted to teach other pilots to fly, but that never happened because she was always too busy! I want to be a pilot too, but flying an aeroplane now is very different from Granny Beatrice's experiences! You rely on computers more than people but I still think it's a really exciting career choice!

- 1 Beatrice liked having exciting experiences.  
a Right ☐                      b Wrong ☐                      c Doesn't say ☐
- 2 Beatrice was a pilot before she became an engineer.  
a Right ☐                      b Wrong ☐                      c Doesn't say ☐
- 3 Beatrice flew across the Atlantic more than once.  
a Right ☐                      b Wrong ☐                      c Doesn't say ☐
- 4 There was a navigator and a passenger on Beatrice's important flight.  
a Right ☐                      b Wrong ☐                      c Doesn't say ☐
- 5 Jenny was shown pictures of Beatrice's plane at a birthday party.  
a Right ☐                      b Wrong ☐                      c Doesn't say ☐
- 6 Beatrice worried more about a storm than how much fuel was left.  
a Right ☐                      b Wrong ☐                      c Doesn't say ☐
- 7 Beatrice also helped train other people to become pilots.  
a Right ☐                      b Wrong ☐                      c Doesn't say ☐
- 8 Jenny is having flying lessons so she can become a pilot, too.  
a Right ☐                      b Wrong ☐                      c Doesn't say ☐
- 9 Jenny thinks it's great that flying modern planes is so different.  
a Right ☐                      b Wrong ☐                      c Doesn't say ☐

### 3 WRITING

Read the email from John. Answer John's eight questions. Write 40–60 words.  
Write full sentences.

**From:** John

Hello! We've got to practise public speaking at school. I'm going to talk about looking after wild animals so I'm collecting information. Can you answer these eight questions please? Thanks!

Are you and your friends interested in wild animals?

Have you ever visited a zoo?

If yes, did you enjoy it? If no, why not?

What's your favourite wild animal?

Why do you like this animal?

Where does it live?

What does it eat?

Would you like to work with wild animals one day?

**To:** John

**From:** .....

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### 4 GRAMMAR

Match the sentence halves. Write the letters.

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|---|------------------------------------|
| 1 I am quite lazy                                       | a to a new apartment next month.   |
| 2 While I was walking home,                             | b she always tries to be polite.   |
| 3 Mum wasn't feeling very well                          | c so my bedroom never looks tidy.  |
| 4 My family is going to move                            | d to make sure we understood it.   |
| 5 I'm teaching my sister                                | e to play the piano at the moment. |
| 6 When my best friend talks to my parents               | f so I made dinner yesterday.      |
| 7 Our teacher was explaining the grammar very carefully | g my brothers drove past me.       |

**Total:** 30